

8598-AK

TRANSMITTAL LETTER			
Serial No. 09/710,154	Filing Date November 8, 2000	Examiner	Case No. 10022-18 Group Art Unit 2161
Inventor(s) Como et al.			
Title of Invention METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR BUSINESS PLANNING VIA A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK			

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a); Declaration of Facts Under 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a); Exhibits A (Assignment), B (Mitchell Letter) & C (Declaration) for Declaration of Facts; Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application; Check for \$1650 for four-month extension, surcharge and petition fees; and white card acknowledging same.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ Petition for a four month extension of time included in the petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a).
- ☐ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:


	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra
Total		Minus		
Indep.		Minus		
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim				

Small Entity	
Rate	Add'l Fee
x \$9=	
x 40=	
+\$135=	
Total add'l fee	\$

Other Than Small Entity	
Rate	Add'l Fee
x \$18=	
x \$80=	
+\$270=	
Total add'l fee	\$

- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE) in the amount of \$_____. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Check for \$1650 to cover the four-month petition for extension of time and surcharge fees is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


Darin E. Bartholomew
Registration No. 36,444
Attorney for Applicant

/03/2001 SLUANGI 00000023 09710154

FC:118

1390.00 DP

BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE
P.O. BOX 10395
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60610
(312) 321-4200

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, with sufficient postage, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on July 30, 2001.

Date: July 30, 2001

rev. Dec-00

F:\COMMONDbal\Accenture 10022\18\10022-18 - Assignment Transmittal Letter.doc

RECEIVED

AUG 06 2001

OFFICE OF PETITIONS



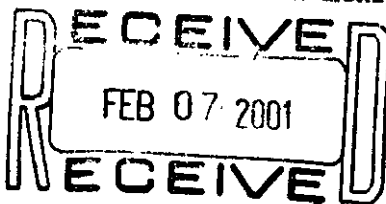
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231
www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
09/710,154	11/09/2000	Como	10022/18

Brinks Hofer Gilson & Lione
PO BOX 10395
Chicago, IL 60610

BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE



FORMALITIES LETTER



OC000000005723889

Date Mailed: 01/31/2001

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.

Customer Service Center

Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202

PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

RECEIVED

AUG 06 2001

OFFICE OF PETITIONS

2001 SLUANG1 00000023 09710154

105

130.00 0P